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Also being submitted herewith is a copy of the <u>International Search Report</u> with respect to <u>PCT/FR2004/003346</u> and the <u>French Search Report</u> with respect to <u>FR 0315169</u> which list the relevance of the listed patents.

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